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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

PRIOR APPLICATION OF: Krishnaswamy RAMKUMAR, et al. ART UNIT: 2813

SERIAL NO.: 09/975,256

EXAMINER: David L. Hogans

FILING DATE: October 12, 2001

FOR: METHOD FOR GROWING ULTRA THIN NITRIDED OXIDE

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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SIR:

It is hereby requested that a ☐ one ☐ two ☐ three ☐ four ☐ five

☐ second ☒ third ☐ fourth ☐ fifth (a 1-month extension and fee having been filed on October 7, 2003)

month extension of time be granted to June 11, 2003 for:

☐ filing a response to the Official Action dated:

☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:

☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.

☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:

☒ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due September 11, 2003 was filed on

October 7, 2003 with a one month extension of time and the required fee of \$110.00. A Request for Continued Examination is filed concurrently herewith.

☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:

The required fee of \$840.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 50-1442. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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